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## HALLOWEEN MONTH GAY WITH FESTIVITIES

**Serpentine Ball Here on Oct. 30th and A Costume Dance at Glen Ellen Announced For Oct. 23rd.**

Hallowe'en this year will be gayly celebrated in Sonoma Valley. Already two large social affairs have been announced and arrangements are well under way for both parties.

The Ro-Cara-Passa Club which numbers among its members popular local young men and High School students will give a Serpentine Ball at the Woman's Clubhouse on Saturday Eve. Oct. 30. The decorations will be extremely novel and appropriate to the mystic calendar date. Wilson's Jazz Orchestra will be there with ultra jazz music.

Refreshments will be served by the Woman's Club.

The committee of arrangements is composed of H. Ring, F. Canevari, and H. Prestwood.

The Woman's Improvement Club of Glen Ellen will give a Costume Ball at the Chauvet Hall, Glen Ellen on Oct. 23rd. Many original and comical costumes are being planned for the festive occasion. Fetters irresistable jazz band will play for dancing. The Club ladies will serve their usual good "eats". This dance is for the benefit of the Jack London Memorial Library for which the Glen Ellen Club has already raised about $4000.

## IMPROVEMENTS BY DAIRYMEN

Theo. Amstalden has been improving his ranch above El Verano by the building of two new barns for his cattle and horses.

Pohm brothers who purchased the Lewis ranch some time ago are converting the big building on the place into a 50 cow dairy barn. The structure was built many years ago by Nick Carriger for a winery and boasts two of the most massive pieces of timber in any building in this part of the State.

Pohm brothers are adding a concrete floor and other modern and substantial features. E. Riboni, the cement contractor is putting in the new floor.

## PERAZZO SAYS HE DOES NOT OWE JUDGE CAMPBELL

Pete Perazzo, former hardware merchant of this place, filed an answer in the Superior Court this week to the suit brought by Judge Campbell to collect $500 for services as clerk and accountant. Perrazzo denies through his attorney Wallace L. Ware that he owes Campbell any money.

## COMPLIMENTED ON THEIR CRYSTAL WEDDING DAY

**Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Watt Entertained at Dinner and Surprised By Jolly Twelve Last Friday Night.**

Mr. and Mrs. "Dick" Watt, prominent residents of Schellville were guests of honor at a dinner and surprise party given on Friday night the 8th, in honor of their crystal wedding anniversary.

The dinner was given by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pauli and was nicely appointed and greatly enjoyed by the guests of honor. Mr. and Mrs. Watt thought this was quite festive enough for the celebration of their fifteen years of happy married life but the Jolly Twelve of which Mrs. Watt is a member had planned a surprise party complimentary to the couple and decided to steal a march on them after the dinner party. About 22 of their friends and neighbors invaded the Pauli home and wished Mr. and Mrs. Watt the heartiest congratulations. The Jolly Twelve remembered the Crystal wedding date with a handsome cut glass bowl.

Card playing was the chief diversion of the evening which culminated in a fine repast with a bride's cake as the piece de resistance of the feast. The cake was a work of art fashioned by Mrs. Charley Potter.

Mrs. Olga Gordenker of Glen Ellen attended the Public Health meeting at Santa Rosa Tuesday where the coming amendments were discussed by San Francisco speakers.

Mrs. Marie Chase entertained Tuesday for her daughter in law, Mrs. George Chase of San Francisco who has been visiting here. There were two tables of bridge players, Mrs. R. Hotz, and Miss Meta Stofen being prize winners. Dainty refreshments were served.

Miss Mable Heizer of Washington, D. C. who is to return East has been here to say goodbye to her relatives the Hunter-Hanger families. She was accompanied by Miss O'Brien of San Francisco.

Mrs. Hiser entertained the Congregational Ladies Aid Tuesday assisted by Mesdames McAllister and Whitmore.

The Sciots will assemble at Petaluma on November 6th for a big time in which the affiliated Sonoma members will take an active part.

Mrs. Julius Fochetti, Jr., provided the program at the Woman's Club yesterday. Mrs. N. Dodge was hostess.

The Native Daughters will give a "500" party at I. O. O. F. Hall Monday night, Oct. 25th for the benefit of the N. D. G. W. Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ring and sons, Ralph and Haster motored to San Joaquin Valley Friday in their King Eight car. They will be away until the middle of next week.

Vote for Harry Weise for Supervisor and retain a faithful public servant in office. Election Nov. 2nd.

## Committeeman Was Victim Of Deliberate Falsehoods

**FIRE ENGINE CONCERN REPUDIATES FORMER STATEMENTS IN VINDICATING O. R. WAGNER AND SAYS LIES WERE TOLD FOR BUSINESS EXPEDIENCY**

Fred S. Hirsch, manager of the Gorham Fire Apparatus Company, came to Sonoma last Friday night and under oath declared he had been guilty of falsehood in bringing the name of O. R. Wagner into the fire engine correspondence and that the Committeeman was not connected in any manner with the deal they tried to put through to sell the Deluge Engine.

The Business Men's Association were glad to have the matter explained and to have Mr. Wagner's name cleared of all implication in the transactions refered to in the correspondence turned over by Chief Otterson. Mr. Wagner has been an active and ardent booster for a new fire engine for Sonoma and has done much good work in collecting funds to meet the cost of fire apparatus. The position in which the Gorham fire Aparatus Company's manager placed him before the community through their fraudulent correspondence is deeply regretted by his fellow citizens and business associates.

Hirsch's affidavit is as follows:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SONOMA ss

Sonoma, California.
October 9th, 1920.

FRED S. HIRSCH, being duly sworn says:

I am the manager of the Gorham Fire Apparatus Co. with headquarters at Los Angeles. That several months ago said Company received a communication from their San Francisco office informing the Company that Sonoma City was in the market for a motor driven Fire Apparatus and placed a bid before the Committee of three (3) appointed by the Sonoma Business Men's Association for that purpose on behalf of the Gorham Deluge Fire Engine to be considered in competition with bids from other companies having apparatus for sale, that among other bids presented to that committee was one for the Watrous apparatus That on the ------ day of September 1920 the said committee made its report to the Association recommending the Gorham Deluge apparatus, and that Mr. O. R. Wagner was one of the members of the committee voting for the majority report. That a minority report was presented to said association by Mr. R. R. Emparan, the third member of the committee endorsing the Watrous apparatus. That a vote of the association was taken on said minority report which adopted said minority report in favor of said Watrous apparatus.

That prior to the time that said bids were presented to said committee that the San Francisco office was to act as representatives and receive a profit on the transaction if the Gorham Deluge apparatus was selected, and no one else was to receive any profit. They acted as our original and only agents. That when affiant was informed that said Waterous outfit was chosen, affiant believing that there was no chance of the sale of the Deluge outfit closed the transaction and his company's records pertaining thereto.

However, upon receipt of a machine similar to the one proposed to furnish the City of Sonoma, from our factory, and as an afterthought, I wired the Business Men's Association in care of Mr. O. R. Wagner that we would gladly send this machine to Sonoma for demonstration purposes so that they would have an opportunity of testing the apparatus under the actual conditions existing in their city. No reply was received to this wire.

The next that I heard was on September 23rd, when I received a telegram in the form of a night letter from Chief Chas. Otterson, of the City of Napa (with whom I had talked some weeks before at the City of Los Angeles about representing our company in this section of the State) reading as follows:

Mail me photograph or cut of apparatus which I was talking to you about set of specifications, one thousand feet of two and one half inch hose, one thirty five gallon tank and three hundred gallon pump price f. o. b. Sonoma. I will act as agent.

(Signed) Chas. Otterson

Believing from this telegram that Chief Otterson had some plan by which the Deluge could be sold, notwithstanding the action of the association in adopting the Watrous and not knowing at that time that the association had reconsidered it's action, I wrote Chief Otterson the following letter in response to his telegram:

Los Angeles, Cal.
September 23rd. 1920.

Fire Chief Chas. Otterson,
Napa, California.

Replying to your night letter of even date we are mailing under separate cover photographs and specification covering Ford Triple Combination Pumper and Chemical Engine.

My brother Will was up at Sonoma when bids were opened and according to his information the job was let to a Mr. Lashbrooke representing the Watrous Ford Pump.

As you no doubt know the price of Ford chasis was reduced $140.00 yesterday so we are now in a position to make a better price at this time. You can now quote Sonoma a price of $2700.00 f. o. b. Sonoma. We understand that Mr. Emparan brought in a minority report and Mr. O. R. Wagner was in favor of the Gorham Ford outfit so we would suggest your calling on Mr. Wagner.

We have a model MS Triple Ford which we sold to the City of Chula Vista and which can be driven to Sonoma and give them a demonstration of same—in fact—we would be willing to make immediate delivery if they should insist. This would make a good talking point for you and help get the business.

We would be glad to have you act as our agent and wish you the best of success.

Yours very truly
GORHAM FIRE APPARATUS CO.
(Signed) FRED HIRSH
Manager

That on the same day this letter was written and after it was mailed, we received a letter from Mr. Wagner informing us that the Association had reconsidered it's action and that our company still had an equal chance for a sale with other companies.

There was no word or hint in this letter that Mr. Wagner would aid our company nor anything further than the simple statement that we could still be considered.

This was the only information received by us and the statement in the following letter was and is an unqualified falsehood. On discussing the matter with my brother Will we concluded to relieve the company of it's obligation to Chief Otterson inasmuch as we were obligated to the original representatives the Gorham Fire Apparature of San Francisco. We considered that the reconsideration by the Business Men's Association automatically re-opened the transaction as far as they were concerned and under the circumstances we could not afford to pay Chief Otterson the commission agreed to in our first communication, so we immediately wrote him as follows:

Los Angeles, Cal.
September, 23rd, 1920.

Fire Chief Chas. Otterson,
Napa Fire Department.
Napa, California.

Dear Chief:

Referring to our letter of even date we just received a wire within the last 15 minutes from Mr. O. R. Wagner, the man mentioned in our previous communication wiring us the order, so under the circumstances we will have to pay commission to the party who originally represented us on this deal.

The writer expects to be in your city within the next three or four days time and will then explain everything fully.

Yours very truly,
Gorham Fire Apparatus Co.,
(Signed) FRED S. HIRSCH,
Manager.

This letter and all that it implies in reference to Mr. Wagner is a deliberate false-hood, our company received no telegram from Mr. Wagner.

When I realize the business error and personal injustice of this false-hood I feel that there is no apology to Mr. Wagner and to the Business Men's Association that will adequately express my regrets in thus misrepresenting Mr. Wagner and thus deceiving the association into a false estimate of his character.

I want to emphasize under oath that in all our dealings with the committee there never has been a hint from him that he expected to be recompensed for his attitude on the committee in any way, shape or form, directly or indirectly. Neither has there been any offer or reward directly or indirectly for his attitude by our company, it's agents, representatives or employees. The company's methods of doing business and my position with the company place me in a position to swear to this to a certainty.

(Signed) FRED. S. HIRSCH

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of October, 1920.
FRANK S. SPRAGUE.
Notary Public

To supplement the foregoing which willbe placed on file Monday night at the Business Men's Association meeting, Mr. Wagner has made the following affidavit:

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF SONOMA

O. R. WAGNER being duly sworn says:

I am one of the members of the Business Men's Association of this city was appointed by the President of said association to act as one of a Committee of three to recommend to the association the type of fire apparatus that it would be most advisable to purchase for the city of Sonoma. That bids and specifications for a number of kinds of machines were presented to said committee for its consideration and that after a thorough and full study and consideration of the various types, I concluded the Deluge the best apparatus considered by said committee and so voted on said committee.

That said committee returned a majority report in favor of said Deluge machine.

That my honesty of purpose has been critizised by reason of two certain letters written by the Company representing the Deluge machine to the Chief of the Fire Department of Napa That I have read the affidavit of Mr. Fred Hirsch representing said Company which is herewith presented and said affidavit is absolutely true so far as it concerns any dealings I have had with said company or any one representing their interest, directly or indirectly.

That at no place and no time have I had any conversation with any one representing said company in which it was said or hinted by or any one that I might expect a commission or remuneration of any kind for my vote in favor of said Deluge machine.

I swear that my attitude on said committee was influenced solely by my best judgment in exercising the intelligence that God gave me.

(Signed) O. R. WAGNER

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of October, 1920.
FRANK S. SPRAGUE.
Notary Public.

## SONOMA MASONIC LODGE RETIRES SERVICE FLAG

**Ceremony Was Impressive and Attended By Petaluma Officers Who Put On Third Degree Work.**

The Sonoma Lodge of the Masonic Order last Saturday night retired the Service Flag which has been proudly displayed at Masonic Hall ever since the recent war. The ceremony was impressive and was attended by a delegation of visitors from nearby Lodges including the officers of Petaluma Chapter who put on the Third Degree work for the local brothers.

The service flag with its eight stars was taken from the wall and impressively escorted into the keeping of the Lodge custodian who is charged with its care and preservation that the honored members of the Order who served in the world war may be ever remembered by Masons. The members on the roll of honor for each of whom a star was the symbol are Maurice Tracie, Maxim Soley, Dr. A. M. Thomson, Ray Gottenberg, Otis W. Wood, Alfred Jansen, Geo. Chase, and Clifford Bergstrom.

The Third Degree work was put on by the members of the Petaluma Lodge in splendid manner. The visiting delegation included N. B. Rundell, W. M.; O. M. Rieweris, S. W.; C. Blow, J. W. W. T. Spradgen, Sec'y Jas. McFadden, S. D.; E. R. Bell, J. D.; L. Byce, P. M.

Messrs K. Seymour of Mill Valley and Treat of San Rafael were also honored visitors. Mr. Treat gave a fine oration. There were also speeches by Mr. Seymour and Master of Ceremonies, J. F. Prestwood.

The banquet hall was beautifully decorated by Mrs. Burmester and assistants and the banquet served was greatly enjoyed. James Gottenberg, W. M. of Sonoma Lodge, was toastmaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Daken (Janet Harris) and family are removing to the Sacramento valley where they will reside.

A. Maffei purchased a number of fine beeves from the Jones ranch this week.

Vote for Harry Weise for Supervisor and retain a faithful public servant in office. Election Nov. 2nd.

## POPULAR COUPLE ARE QUIETLY WED SUNDAY

**Miss Alta McGimsey Becomes Bride of Roy Pauli at McGimsey home.**

A quiet but impressive wedding ceremony terminated a romance of some years duration on Sunday when Miss Alta McGimsey became the bride of Roy Pauli. The young couple were successful in concealing their plans until after the happy event and got quietly started on their honeymoon before the happy news became generally known.

The ceremony was performed at the McGimsey home by Rev. Mr. Burchett of the M. E. Church in the presence of the immediate families of the contracting parties. The bride was attended by her sister, Grace, and the groom by his friend, Charley Taylor.

The wedding dress was a traveling gown of blue silk and a becoming hat of henna shade completed the attractive costume.

The bride is a pretty and winsome girl the daughter of the late T. J. McGimsey, prominent pioneer resident of this section of California. She has an amiable disposition and demure sweet manner which has endeared her to many friends.

Roy Pauli is one of Sonoma's most prominent young men. He is with the firm of F. Clewe in the merchandise business, and is affiliated with many fraternal orders. Highly esteemed both in business and social circles of the community he will be wished the greatest happiness by all who know him.

Upon their return from their honeymoon Mr. Pauli and his bride will take up their residence at the Pauli home on Napa Street.

## PURCHASE FINE BEEF FROM JONES RANCH

**Some of Joe Keechler's Shorthorn Cattle Declared By A. Maffei Finest Ever Sold in Valley.**

Twenty head of beef cattle purchased by A. Maffei from the Jones ranch this week are said to be the finest lot ever raised in this valley. The beeves are Shorthorns and dress from 900 to 1000 pounds. The Shorthorns were raised by Superintendent Joe Keecheler at McGills and he is justly proud of the fine steers.

A mammoth three year old of the lot will be killed for Christmas beef and the Maffei Market will have it dressed in holiday style and hung up in the shop for a guessing contest. A 10 lb. roast will be given away to the one guessing nearest the weight of the beef.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Leiser have returned from a motor trip to the Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys.


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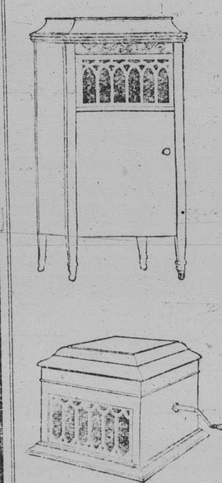

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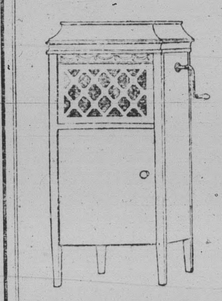

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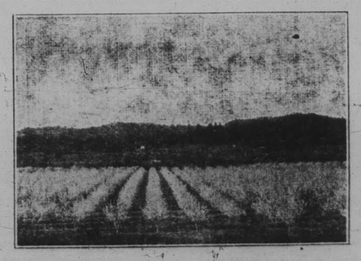

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## A NOTE OF OPTIMISM

**A NOTE** of optimism is sounded in an article in a recent issue of Collier's which is refreshing in the midst of the alarms and false alarms of this presidential campaign. Bruce Barton, the author believes that our chief executive timber while not fashioned like the Angel Gabriel, is the average, and that what the country needs is faith in the man who will preside over the White House, the coming four years.

In order that legality and respect may be kept intact and American citizenship have the healthy tone which will throw off any soviet symptoms ,it is certain that the presentation of the clear cut issues of this campaign should be set forth rather than the besmirched pictures of the men who are seeking office. Platforms, not unpardonable cartoons and villification should predominate. Says Collier's:

"Among the newspapers of a certain city are two of the highly "respectable" sort; both indignant enemies of Bolshevism according th their lights. Yet by their grumbling pessimism they are really pro-Bolshevist. For the readers of one of them are told every day that Cox is a charlatan; and in the other Harding i s pictured as a stuffed shirt and nothing more. Either Cox or Harding is going to be the next President of the United States. And what I want to know is this: How in the world can you expect the man in the street to respect the Government when the leading papers of the country assure him day by day that the men who are the Government are nothing but charlatans and fools?

It's time for a new note, it seems to me; time to quit this grumbling gloom about our institutions and the men picked out to run them. The institutions are all right: they have made a mighty nation in a little over a hundred years. The men chosen for office are honest like the rest of us, fallible like the rest of us, and abler than most of us on the whole. I have a choice between Mr. Harding and Mr. Cox; but whichever one of them is elected I am for the government of the United States. To sneer at the Government has come to be regarded as a sign of superior intelligence. But what does that of superiority get us in the shape of progress, anyway? There is a certain very old and intellectual newspaper in this country, and this is its record of grumbling futility: It criticized Lincoln until Lincoln was dead; criticized Grant until Grant was dead; criticized McKinley until McKinley was dead, criticized Roosevelt until Roosevelt was dead. It is now having its daily fling at Harding, and when he is dead it will write a condescending editorial about him, and immediately begin to lament the incapacity of his successor, who will persist in doing everything wrong. I would a thousand times rather believe in the greatness of the average man, and be occasionally disappointed, than spend my life in faultfinding because no man is perfect. And I sometimes wonder what sort of a country this would be if every business man in it would start the day by saying to himself: "I am a citizen of a great nation: it is being administered by a pretty fine crowd of men, on the whole, and I am going to do everything in my power to help them to make good." Would we have better administrations, or worse, if that were the atmosphere in which they administered?

"Listening to the orators in the present political compaign, one is told many things that America needs. But this one thing we need more than anything that statesmen can give—to lift up our eyes, and stretch out our hands to one another, and to move forward in unflinching Faith."

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**THE SALARIES** of Justices of the Supreme Court and District Courts of Appeal are up for consideration at the November election. You can vote to make the $8,000 salary $10,000 per year in the Supreme, and the $7,000 salary $9,000 in case of the Appealate Courts. If the voter believes a higher grade of legal talent can thereby be attracted to these high judicial places and that the Justices are now having a hard time to worry along on their present salaries they will vote yes on the Third Amendment. It never appeared to us however that the money end of it, or rather salary attached to the high position, figured with the kind of men we would see in our highest courts. The independence and efficiency of the judiciary must be possible and above financial consideration of any sort, and we believe they are. The motives which should actuate our jurists are apparent and inherent in men of high type minds and ambitions, of which America boasts many.

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**THE DIRE CALAMITIES** prophecied if the community property law is changed by the vote at the November election is probably like the terrible results which were going to follow if woman's suffrage ever became a fact Prior to the necessity of a wife's signature to a deed we presume that requirement should have caused a wail just about as noisy and as hollow. As a matter of fact suffrage has caused no commotion or domestic discord, and in property matter husbands and wives are usually able to settle their affairs without trouble.

The voter who discriminates between community property rights and other property right will have no hesitancy in giving on the November ballot the protection which is due mothers who would provide for their children,

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**ANY PART OF** the constitution of the United States so perforated with impracticability and so full of loopholes that it resembles the sieve of Mythical fame should be discarded and furthermore should never have been written into our great document. The fast following proof of its vulnerability makes a fool of the nation which permitted itself to be buffaloed into adopting it. We refer to the prohibition amendment which morally is premature and officially is a farce. Prohibition reminds us of a tight shoe in which the nation is painfully limping, bluffing its way along on the looks of the thing. How long will it be before it is discarded?

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**HOOVER SAYS,** "Vote for Bodwell." Where have we heard those names before? Oh yes, an echo from the primaries last May when Hoover was snowed under. A prophetic connection of another frost in November.

## OLD TIME MEMBERS OF CONGREGATION HONORED

At the Congregational Church last Sunday the services were dedicated to the old time members of the Congregation.

Among the charter members still living is Mrs. F. Dunn. Those who spoke on old times and early days in the church were B. F. Campbell, Mrs. Hannah Appleton and J. B. Morris.

A feature of the services was the choir of fifteen voices led by Mrs. J. N. Savacool. A solo "Come Holy Spirit Heavenly Dove" was rendered by Mrs. Savacool and another old time song "Shall We Gather at the River" was sung by Mrs. Carrie Burlingame. The choir also rendered "There's a Church in the Wildwood."

Rev. Isaac Cookman preached an eloquent and appropriate sermon.

## WILSON ARRANGES SERIES OF DANCES AND CONFETTI BALL TONIGHT

F. C. Wilson of Jazz orchestra fame which has been a hit a Boyes Springs has arranged for a series of winter dances at Petaluma, Santa Rosa and Napa. He will also have lances here, at the Springs and at he State Home.

Tonight Mr. Wilson and his artists hold forth at Boyes Theatre where a Confetti Ball promises to lure all dance lovers.

## HARRY FINE VICTIM OF BAD CHECK PASSER

Harry Fine of Verano was victimized out of $100 Sunday when he cashed a check for James H. Hamilton on a Santa Rosa Bank. Hamilton had no funds and his arrest followed. His bail was fixed at $1000.

Accused is said to be the son of a prominent and well-to-do family of San Francisco who sent him up here and bought him a ranch in order to straighten him out. He has a wife and baby.

## BUNGALOWS ARE BEING ERECTED IN FIFTH STREET

Aubrey Barham who recently purchased the old Hardin property in Fifth street, east of King, and facing the school lot, with two old buildings on it, has already wrecked one and is working on the other. He will erect bungalows at once on the property, making a pleasing improvement to the neighborhood.—Santa Rosa Press Democrat.

## NOTICE

James A. Vigna, the undersigned having purchased all the interest in the Lovall Valley ranch from his brother John B. Vigna herewith gives notice the partnership existing between them is dissolved and that he will not be responsible for any debts contracted by John Vigna on account of the ranch.

(Signed) JAMES A VIGNA

Dated Oct. 11, 1920.


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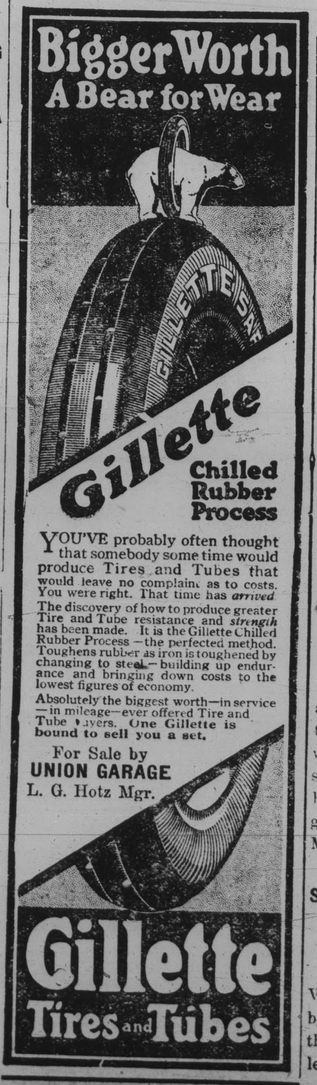
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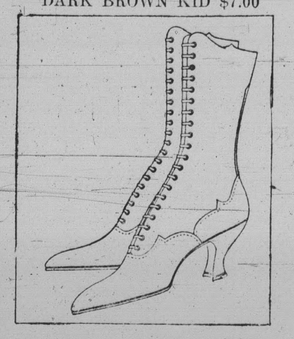

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## SONOMA VALLEY APPLES ARE IN DEMAND

An order for 400 boxes of Sonoma Valley Apples was received this week by R. L. Watt, the buyer declaring that Sonoma apples are the best sellers in the market.

## HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA RESUMES PRACTICE

Tuesday, the orchestra of the Sonoma High School commenced its work for the new year under the direction of the Rev. Wm. Burchett. The orchestra obtained an established foothold in the school cirriculum last term, and so, there is reason for us to believe that this year a very marked development of its abilities will be evident. The Student Body has pledged its support to the orchestra, for it realizes the returns will be greater than the investment. The orchestra has received some encouraging comunity support also, for Mr. Stein recently contributed the complete orchestration for the new and popular overture, entitled "California."

The following students, playing their respective instruments, are doing their very best to some day make everyone of us feel proud that we possess an organized orchestra in Sonoma.

Violins: Nick Wirtz, Anna Nayes, Piere Rouquie, George Reed and Spencer Merz.
Bass Viol: William Keiser.
Clarinet: Anton Keiser.
Cello: Joe Keiser.
Saxaphone: Eugene Robin.
Trombone: Joe Brazil.
Drums: Haster Ring.
Piano: Zadie Pettett.

For dance music in addition to the above are James Cameron, mandolin; and Fred Schell, Banjo.

This year the schedule has been arranged to allow assembly singing three times a week under the direction of Miss Poppe. These moments of diversion of thoughts from studies are most welcome to and appreciated by the students.

High School Reporter.

## MARSH CHARACTER THREATENS OFFICER

NAPA,—Oct. 12—Charles Appleby, na aged hunter and fishermon who has lived for nearly 40 years in the tules, was arrested by Deputy Fish and Game Commissioner Armstrong of Vallejo Sunday forenoon and was brought to the county jail here in Napa.

Armstrong said that he came upon Appleby when he was evidently starting out for ducks, for his boat was filled with decoys and camouflaged with tules; and that he halted him for the purpose of investigating his case.

"When I pulled up alongside of Appleby," said Armstrong, "he pulled his gun on me and threatened to kill me. I got the drop on him and he threw his gun overboard. Then as I was fastening my boat he pulled a knife on me. I took the weapon from him and placed him under arrest.

Armstrong will confer with District Attorney Riggins before filing a formal charge against Appleby.

It is believed by many that Appleby is mentally deranged.

## MAY OPEN LAW OFFICE IN PETALUMA CITY

Judge and Mrs. Thomas Denny motored here from Sonoma on Tuesday afternoon and visited relatives. It is generally reported that Judge Denny is to open law offices in this city again when his term as Superior Judge expires at the end of the year.—Petaluma Argus.


## DON THEATRE

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Saturday night, Oct. 16th, Robertson-Cole Corporation presents **Bessie Barriscoe** in **'ZOSSELYNS WIFE'**. How the gun that wasn't loaded caused a tragedy.

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## MARIN COUNTY TO SPEED UP BLACK POINT CUT-OFF PAVING

San Rafael, Oct. 13.—Tired of waiting for the State Highway Commission toward the completion of the work for which the people recently voted bonds, the Marin County Supervisors adopted a resolution presented by Attorney Thomas P. Boyd, which has for its purpose the speeding up of the Black Point Cut-off paving.

The resolution provided that the cooperation of the Boards of Sonoma, Napa, Solano, Sacramento and San Francisco counties be solicited in inducing action on the part of the highway commission. The subject matter of the resolution will be presented to the highway commissioners by the following committee named by the board: L. F. Douglass, A. W. Foster, E. B. Martinelli, T. P. Boyd, and Geo. Jackson.

## "JUST AROUND THE CORNER"

For smart comedy there is no dramatic writer of the day who can excel George V. Hobart co-author with Herbert Hall Winslow of "Just Around The Corner", a new comedy gem produced by G. M. Anderson which is due at the Cline Theatre for one night, Thursday Oct. 21.

G. M. Anderson who recently brought his stupendous "Frivolities of 1920" to the Pacific Coast with marked artistic and financial success scored a notable triumph in New York last season with "Just Around The Corner". It fairly reeks with quaint situations and bubbling humor. The story deals with a pretty New York society widow who suddenly finds herself in financial straits and who decides to go to a small country village to conduct a general merchandise store left by her late husband. The advent of the society woman into this queer village and the efforts to drive her out from the basis of the action. The widow, Phoebe, pits her wit and charm against the village boss and succeeds in a kind of regeneration of the entire town.

Heading the cast of "Just Around The Corner" is Edna Wallace Hooper, an actress of international reputation.

Seats on sale Saturday, Oct. 16, prices 50 cents, $1.00 and $1.50.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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## MRS. LISS PASSES AWAY AFTER LONG SUFFERING

Mrs. Carl Liss who for many years was a cripple from rheumatism died in a San Francisco hospital the past week. Deceased was 61 years of age and a native of Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Liss formerly resided here and recently sold out to go to San Francisco where it was hoped Mrs. Liss could be relieved of her intense suffering.

Medical science however failed to find a panacea for the complications which beset the unfortunate lady and she became steadily worse, the malady finally ending in the Eternal sleep which was to be her peace and salvation.

The funeral took place Wednesday in San Francisco with incineration at Cypress Lawn cemetery.

## A CHILDREN'S PARTY

Little Miss Frances Cereghino gave a party last week in honor of her fifth birthday. The Cereghino home was aflutter with excitement as the little ones gathered to enjoy the afternoon. A pretty birthday cake and a color scheme of pink added to the festive scene as the children feasted after games and merriment. Those presnt were Mildred Frideger, Maxine Hunter, Virginia Lowell, Margaret Cereghino, Frances Cereghino, Billy Clewe, Temple Clewe, Preston Hotz and Edward Frideger.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Felder have returned from a vacation in Lake County.

## VALLEY OF MOON CIGARS MAY BE NEXT SONOMA PRODUCT

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## ST. FRANCIS CHURCH

Beginning next Sunday, Oct. 17th, Mass every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. 1st. Sundayof the month at 9 a. m.

Services at Glen Ellen. Sunday at 8:30 a. m. except 1st. Sunday, 10:30

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## WILL BOX AT NAPA ON MONDAY NIGHT

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## PROHIBITION LAWS CAUSE TROUBLE FOR VERANO MAN

The attempt of bootleggers to mulct Paul Vannucchi, popular resort keeper, out of $8,000 is said to have led to trouble for Vannucchi and his partner when they complained of the "hold-up" and were straight way involved in charges of conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws.

Other prominent men are involved in similiar trouble for the same reason.

Vannucchi is proprietor of a swell club in the metropolis which was a popular rendevouz for Democrats during the recent National Convention. The San Francisco Bulletin had the following details of the case in which Vannucchi and others are defendants:

With four of the seven men sought for conspiracy to violate the Federal prohibition law surrendered and scheduled to appear for arraignment on October 16, the authorities today continued their efforts to trace the three remaining defendants.

J. Foppiano Jr., and Paul Vannucchi, proprietors of "The Bungalow," a resort on the State Highway and Robert L. Jeffress, 1430 Leavenworth street, surrendered this morning and were ordered to appear for arraignment next Saturday after funishing bonds before Commissioner Francis Krull.

Bonds in the sum of $10,000 were furnished for Foppiano and Vannucchi by Rockwell McMullen, a Fort Bragg rancher; John Foppiano Sr., 1143 Divisadero street, and inspector for the board of public works and father of defendant Foppiano; and George Logarmarsino, 5724 Mission Street, vice-president of the Colma State Bank.

## PATHE CONCERT ARTISTIC AND FINANCIAL SUCCESS

The performance Wednesday night at the Don Theatre arranged by Al Stein, local Pathe agent, as a benefit for the Sonoma Fire Engine fund was largely attended and proved an artistic as well as financial success.

After the moving pictures Fred Kinschke, manager of the Western Division of the Pathe Phonograph Co., demonstrated the Pathe Actuelle assisted by Olive Reed, violinist, and Ruth Bowers, vocalist. Tone tests between the real artists and the records as reproduced on the Actuelle proved of great interest, and the scientific perfection of the wonderful machine when heard in both vocal and instrumental selections was greatly applauded.

"Berceause" of Jocelyn, a violin number, and "Sing Me To Sleep" vocal with violin accompaniment were particular favorites with the large audience. The machine also demonstrated its ability to reproduce 'jazz' with wonderful clarity and eclat.

The picture put on by Manager Mohr proved most entertaining and the whole show was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

There was about a $60 house and over sixty children in the audience Wednesday night. The Pathe visitors complimented Sonoma's kiddies on their attention and quietness during the tone demonstration. They declared for youngsters who were so full of real "pep" during the thrills of the moving pictures, they were wonders to quiet down for the musical part of the program. Perhaps the Pathe folks did not know that Sonoma children "make a special study" of company manners and of the requirements of a musical audience.

## JURY DISAGREES IN DAIRYMAN'S CASE

Whether Charles Stornetti watered the milk which he sold was a question which could not be decided by the jury trying the case in Judge Vaughan's court Monday. After considerable deliberation the jury reported to the court that they could not agree, and were discharged. It was understood that they stood nine for conviction and three for acquittal.

Stornetti was arrested last week after a complaint had been sworn to by Dr. F. G. Whitehead, state food inspector. Cream tests disclosed at the trial indicated that the milk had tested between 2 and 3 per cent butter fat which is below the standard allowed under state law. Tests made from the cow direct were alleged to have tested higher.

The jury was composed of J. W. Goodman, Al Trembley, W. F. Graham, J. A. Hamilton, C. C. Barnett, R. E. Foster, M. R. Riddle, E. W. Delhart, Al Shea, S. B. Mortimer, E. E. Hess, J. Kurlander. —Santa Rosa Press Democrat.


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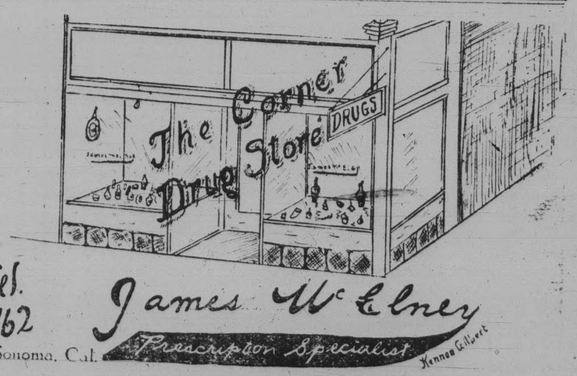


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**PLOWING—HARROWING— DONE.** Tractor. Current prices. Apply A. E. Flieger, Baxter tract, Box 315.

**STRAYED**—To my place Oct. 3rd. on State Highway, near Schellville, 1 red and white cow, white face, swallow fork in each ear, also red and white calf, about 6 months old. Owner may have same by paying costs of keeping, damages and for this notice. R. C. Waller. 6-4t

**WANTED TO BUY**—Highest prices paid for all kinds of poultry. M. Stein, Sonoma, Box. 335, between Mission and Feed Store.

**FOR SALE**—A 3-horse drill, little used. Apply Mrs. Randolph, Baxter tract.

**WANTED**—To buy any amount of grapes. Highest market price paid. Address C. Conforti or Phone 1133, Sonoma.

**FOR SALE**—A fine horse about 12 years old. Cheap. Apply to Albert Wehrli, Vineburg or this office. 2

## FRESNO MAN DIES AT BOYES

Frank Paulson, prominent raisin grower of Fresno, who has been sojourning at Boyes Springs with his family on account of his health succumbed to heart failure Tuesday. The deceased leaves a devoted wife and two children to mourn a kind husband and parent.

The family is related to Mr. King of the Boyes Springs Garage and made many friends during their stay in this valley.

The remains were shipped to Paulson's old home for interment.

## HANDSOME CAR MENACED BY FLAMES

While the handsome new coupe of A. F. Hopke was being filled with gasoline at a local garage one day this week, a drip was ignited by the exhaust and a blaze started which threatened the destruction of the machine. Prompt action by the garage men saved the car.

## STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP

Management, Circulation, etc., required by the act of August 24th, 1912, of the SONOMA INDEX-TRIBUNE, published weekly at Sonoma, California, for Oct. 1st. 1920

Editor, Celeste G. Murphy; managing editor, Celeste G. Murphy; business managers, W. L. and Celeste G. Murphy. Publisher, W. L. Murphy. Owners, Celeste G. Murphy and W. L. Murphy, both of Sonoma.

Known bond holders, mortgagees, and other security holders, holding one per cent of more of the total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities. None.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of October, 1920.

(SEAL) ROBERT A. POPPE.

Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

Mrs. Bronson of Santa Rosa has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Hotz.

City Clerk H. W. Gottenberg and wife accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Johnson have been away on a motor trip to Lake County.


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## APPEALS FROM DECISION IN QUINN ESTATE

Coroner Frank H. Phillips in an interview yesterday stated that Mrs. M. Farrell had employed three attorneys to appeal from the decision of Judge Denny in the Margaret Quinn estate matter, and that sensational testimony will be introduced when the case comes up for hearing.

## BRIDGE BIDS RECEIVED BY SUPERVISORS

The board of supervisors met today and passed on a large number of small claims which had accumulated since their last session. Other routine matters occupied the attention of the supervisors most of the day.

A small delegation of residents of the Healdsburg section appeared before them to ask that the road from Healdsburg to Camp Rose be declared a highway and that it receive the work that is given to a county highway. The supervisors took the matter under advisement and will decide upon it later.

Bids for highway and bridge work, opened, and read yesterday will be passed upon late today by the board of supervisors as they took them under advisement yesterday.

The bid for Cooper bridge was as follows:

D. F. Albers, $15,530; C. H. Gildersleeve, $17,450; W. L. Proctor, $18,500; B. H. Martin & Co., $19,929. 35.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Wilson of Boyes Springs have purchased a new Ford touring car through Busby & Coates.

W. D. Foley came up Monday evening to visit with his relatives, Mr. and Mrs. P. Norrbom prior to going to sea.

Norman Baines, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baines of El Verano is taking an engineering course at Healds Business College, San Francisco.

Frank McGill and son, Stanley, are enjoying an extensive trip which will take them across the continent and up into Canada. Mrs. McGill who has a position in Napa received a card from them the past week telling of the fine time being enjoyed by the travelers.

Ellis Simmons attended the launching of the Avon J. Hanford at Alameda Sunday. The new boat is for the Rodeo Vallejo Ferry Co. It can carry from 65 to 75 autos on a trip

Mrs. Fred Helberg entertained the Flying Needles this week.

Mrs. Pollini of Spain St. was presented with a little 8 1-2 pound girl Wednesday night by the "stork doc", Dr. W. B. Hayes.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies Aid of the M. E. Church will be held on Thursday, October 21, in the parlors of the Church with Mrs. E. Eshbach and Mrs. J. J. Dunbar as hostesses who will be assisted by Mrs. Dow. These ladies are hoping to see a large company of members and friends at this meeting Everybody is welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Greeley who have been visiting at the Simmons home have gone to Taft to reside with their son, Ben.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wong and little son were here last week visiting Wong's father at the Snyder ranch and Sonoma friends. Wong will be remembered as the Chinese boy who formerly attended school here and as the godson of Mrs. Simmons. He is now a prosperous merchant of Fresno.

Jack Knight visited his little daughters, Mary and Betty in San Francisco over the last week end.

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## NOTICE TO CREDITORS

**Estate of Fred Whiting Boynton, Deceased.**

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned F. H. Phillips, Administrator of the estate of Fred Whiting Boynton, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, in the office of the Cleerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said Administrator at the law office of Kellogg and Kyle, Rooms 306 and 308, Bank of Italy Building, in the City of Santa Rosa, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

F. H. PHILLIPS, Administrator of the estate of FRED WHITING BOYNTON, Deceased.

Dated at Santa Rosa, Cal., Oct. 6th, 1920.

KELLOGG and KYLE, Attorneys for

No. 11811

## IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA

**Evangeline C. Dodge, Neal E. Dodge and Richard D. Dodge,** Plaintiffs, vs. **John Lewis, Christian Bruner, Victor Prudon, Robert B. Carter, Mabel C. Coffin** (formerly Mabel C. Carter), as guardian of the person and estate of Robert B. Carter, minor, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto, Defendants.

### SUMMONS

Action brought in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, and the complaint filed in the office of the County Clerk of said County of Sonoma.—**J. R. Leppo,** Santa Rosa, California, attorney for plaintiffs.

**The People of the State of California Send Greeting to: JOHN LEWIS, CHRISTIAN BRUNER, VICTOR PRUDON. ROBERT B. CARTER, MABEL C. COFFIN (formerly Mabel C. Carter), as guardian of the person and estate of Robert B. Carter, minor, and all other persons unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real property described in the complaint adverse to plaintiffs' ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiffs' title thereto, Defendants.**

YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to appear, and answer the complaint in an action entitled above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, within ten days after service on you of this summons, if served within the county, or within thirty days, if served elsewhere.

AND YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiffs will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or plaintiffs will apply to the court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

This action is brought and the object thereof is to determine the adverse claims to and clouds upon plaintiffs' title to the said real property hereinafter described, and to obtain the judgment of this court adjudging and decreeing that said plaintiffs are the owners in fee simple absolute and entitled to the possession and in the possession of the said real property described in plaintiffs' complaint herein, and that the said defendants and all other persons known or unknown, or any of them, have not, nor has either of them, any right, title, estate, lien, interest or right of possession in the real property described in the complaint, or any part thereof, and that they, and each of them, be forever barred from asserting any claim thereto. The said real property is situate, lying and being in the County of Sonoma, State of California, and is more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

**First Piece: Beginning** at an iron pin driven into the ground at a point in the center of a gateway on the North line of Out Lot 575, as laid down and designated on the official map of the Town or City of Sonoma, bearing North 83 degrees West from the Northeast corner of said Out Lot, and distant from said corner 11.88 chains West, and running thence South 6 degrees 15 minutes West, 17 chains to an iron pin; thence South 7 degrees West, 20.20 chains to the center of Sonoma Creek; thence up the center of said Creek, following the meanders thereof, to the Southerly line of a street leading from Sonoma Creek to Broadway; thence Easterly, along the Northerly line of Out Lot 574 to its Northeasterly corner; thence Southerly, along the Westerly line of Broadway to Chili Street; thence along the Southerly Line of Chili Street, to the place of beginning, comprising Out Lot 574, and the Westerly portion of Out Lots 575 and 583, also the Westerly portion of the strip of land designated as Argentina Street, and that portion of the strip of land designated as Broadway which lies South of Chili Street;

**Second Piece: Beginning** at a stake marked HH, standing on the Southeasterly line of land heretofore conveyed by Jerome Lincoln to S. J. Agnew, thence North 66 degrees 15 minutes East, 1.66 chains to the center of Sonoma Creek; thence down said Creek, following the meanders thereof, 32.13 chains to a point in the center of the stream; thence South 66 degrees 15 minutes West, 26.20 chains to a stake in the line of land of Jerome Lincoln; thence North 23 degrees 45 minutes West, 25 chains, to a stake in the line of said land of Agnew; thence on said line, North 66 degrees 15 minutes East, 36.24 chains to the place of beginning, containing 69.86 acres, being a portion of the Polpula Tract of the Petaluma Rancho, conveyed by Jerome Lincoln to Robert Howe and Robert Hall, by deed of December 29, 1881, recorded in Book 76 of Deeds, page 605, of Sonoma County Records;

**Third Piece: Beginning** at a stake standing at the most Southerly corner of the Second Piece above described, running thence South 23 degrees 45 minutes East, along the line of Jerome Lincoln, 14.30 chains, more or less, to an iron pin in the corner of a fence; thence along said

By

## VINEBURG NEWS

Walter Murphy of the Index-Tribune was a visitor in this vincinity on Tuesday last. Some folks thought he was doing politics but that is not so, as we heard "Ollive Oliver" say that Mr. Murphy and Jim Small intend to start a "Feather Factory" in Vineburg.

Wm. Clewe, one of Sonoma's most progressive merchants transacted business here on Wednesday.

"Tillie Tipton" says if all the grapes that she sees passing thru this part of the valley are going to be used for "sacramental purposes", there must be more "sky pilots" on land than fish in the sea, only the fish are not quite as "thirsty".

Mrs. D. Banchiero, after a week's visit at the John Batto residence returned to her home in Vallejo on Tuesday last.

A large number of people from all parts of the valley attended the social dance at Martin's pavilion on Saturday eve and had a fine time as the motto is good time, good music and good order.

Our popular tonsorial artist, Frank Allen was called to Sonoma on Monday last to fill the place of a brother artist who had business in the metropolis. All right Sonoma when ever you want a good man, send to Vineburg where all good men live.

Miss Belle Brandon, at one time one of our fair assistants and who is a guest of friends in this vicinity will write the Vineburg news next week. "EASY JIM"

## WOMAN'S CLUB DANCE AT BOYES SUCCESSFUL

The dance given at Boyes Springs last Saturday night was highly successful and particularly sociable. The Club ladies were well pleased and most appreciative of all who aided in making the dance a success including the management of Boyes Springs.


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center of Sonoma Creek; thence up said stream to a point in the center thereof, at a corner of said Second Piece; thence North 66 degrees 15 minutes East, on the line of said Second Piece, 26.20 chains to place of beginning;

Being a part of Polpula Tract of the Petaluma Rancho and the Northwesterly portion of the land conveyed by Jerome Lincoln to Robert Howe and Robert Hall, by the deed of November 14, 1882, recorded in Book 83 of Deeds, page 205, of Sonoma County Records.

**Saving and Excepting,** however, from the Second and Third Pieces above described, that certain piece of land conveyed by Robert Hall and Thirza Denia Hall, his wife, on November 11, 1912, to Carl Jakober and Matilda Jakober, his wife, which said deed is recorded in Book 305 of Deeds, page 93, of the Sonoma County Records;

**Also, Saving and Excepting** from said Second and Third Pieces above described, that certain land conveyed on August 18, 1887, by Robert Hall to the Santa Rosa and Carquinez Railroad Company.

The above described three pieces of property constitute what is commonly known as and called the **Hall Ranch** of Sonoma Valley, Sonoma County, California.

**Fourth Piece:** The Northerly 75 feet of the Westerly 150 feet of small or in-lot No. 75 of the City of Sonoma, in the County of Sonoma, State of California, as the said lot is known, numbered and designated on the official map or plat thereof.

**Together** with all and singular the casements, tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Superior Court this 6th day of July, 1920.

(SUPERIOR COURT SEAL)

W. W. FELT, JR., County Clerk.

JOHN BURROUGHS, By ..., County Clerk


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